

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

In re:)	
)	Chapter 11
FRANCHISE GROUP, INC., <i>et al.</i> , ¹)	
)	Case No. 24-12480 (LSS)
Debtors.)	(Jointly Administered)
)	
)	Re: Docket No. 1063, 1081

ORDER SETTING STATUS CONFERENCE

Upon the statement (the “Statement”) of the above-captioned captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the “Debtors”) requesting entry of an order (this “Order”) compelling a settlement status conference among the Debtors, the Ad Hoc Group, and the Freedom Lender Group, it is HEREBY ORDERED THAT:²

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of their U.S. federal tax identification numbers, to the extent applicable, are Franchise Group, Inc. (1876), Freedom VCM Holdings, LLC (1225), Freedom VCM Interco Holdings, Inc. (2436), Freedom Receivables II, LLC (4066), Freedom VCM Receivables, Inc. (0028), Freedom VCM Interco, Inc. (3661), Freedom VCM, Inc. (3091), Franchise Group New Holdco, LLC (0444), American Freight FFO, LLC (5743), Franchise Group Acquisition TM, LLC (3068), Franchise Group Intermediate Holdco, LLC (1587), Franchise Group Intermediate L, LLC (9486), Franchise Group Newco Intermediate AF, LLC (8288), American Freight Group, LLC (2066), American Freight Holdings, LLC (8271), American Freight, LLC (5940), American Freight Management Company, LLC (1215), Franchise Group Intermediate S, LLC (5408), Franchise Group Newco S, LLC (1814), American Freight Franchising, LLC (1353), Home & Appliance Outlet, LLC (n/a), American Freight Outlet Stores, LLC (9573), American Freight Franchisor, LLC (2123), Franchise Group Intermediate B, LLC (7836), Buddy’s Newco, LLC (5404), Buddy’s Franchising and Licensing LLC (9968), Franchise Group Intermediate V, LLC (5958), Franchise Group Newco V, LLC (9746), Franchise Group Intermediate BHF, LLC (8260), Franchise Group Newco BHF, LLC (4123), Valor Acquisition, LLC (3490), Vitamin Shoppe Industries LLC (3785), Vitamin Shoppe Global, LLC (1168), Vitamin Shoppe Mariner, LLC (6298), Vitamin Shoppe Procurement Services, LLC (8021), Vitamin Shoppe Franchising, LLC (8271), Vitamin Shoppe Florida, LLC (6590), Betancourt Sports Nutrition, LLC (0470), Franchise Group Intermediate PSP, LLC (5965), Franchise Group Newco PSP, LLC (2323), PSP Midco, LLC (6507), Pet Supplies “Plus”, LLC (5852), PSP Group, LLC (5944), PSP Service Newco, LLC (6414), WNW Franchising, LLC (9398), WNW Stores, LLC (n/a), PSP Stores, LLC (9049), PSP Franchising, LLC (4978), PSP Subco, LLC (6489), PSP Distribution, LLC (5242), Franchise Group Intermediate SL, LLC (2695), Franchise Group Newco SL, LLC (7697), and Educate, Inc. (5722). The Debtors’ headquarters is located at 2371 Liberty Way, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23456.

² Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Statement.

~~1. The Debtors and lead counsel and at least one principal with full authority for each of the Ad Hoc Group and the Freedom Lender Group shall participate in a status conference to be conducted before the Court on March [●], 2025, at [●]:[●] [a/p].m. (prevailing Eastern Time).~~

2. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted in this Order.

3. This Court retains jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to ~~the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Order.~~

1. Debtors' request for a "settlement status conference" is DENIED.
2. The Court will entertain a status conference. Counsel may participate in person OR remotely. Principals need not attend.
3. Those participating remotely must register in accordance with the Court's Chambers Procedures.


LAURIE SELBER SILVERSTEIN
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE

Dated: March 12, 2025
Wilmington, Delaware